

BARONS  
Will Not Deal With  
Mitchell.

They Refuse  
to Treat With Miners  
Only as Individuals.

They are Willing the Men  
Shall Return to Their  
Work

Leave Their Grievances as In-  
dividuals to be Submitted  
to a Board of Arbi-  
tration.

Washington, Oct. 3.—President  
Roosevelt met the coal conferees, at-  
tired in a dressing gown and seated  
in his rolling chair. Those present  
were: representing the people and the  
public welfare, Theo. Roosevelt, presi-  
dent of the United States; Geo. B.  
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P. C. Knox, attorney general; Carroll  
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and railroads, George F. Baer, presi-  
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W. H. Truesdale, president of the  
Delaware, Lackawanna and Western  
Railroad Co.; B. Thomas, chairman of  
the board of the Erie Railroad Co.;  
Thomas P. Fowler, president of the  
New York, Ontario and Western R.  
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and general counsel of the D. & H.  
Co., who came as a personal representa-  
tive of President Olyphant; John  
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dent coal operators, representing  
the coal miners, John Mitchell, presi-  
dent of District No. 1; Thomas  
Duffy, president of District No. 7;  
John Fahy, president of District No.  
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The president made a speech from  
manuscript, which it is understood  
will be made public after the confer-  
ence. Mitchell and Baer replied  
briefly. An audience of nearly 200  
newspaper men and "camera boys"  
stands outside the temporary White  
House, waiting for crumbs of news  
that will drop from the conference  
table.

CROWN PRINCE  
Daily Tears Himself Away  
From London.

London, Oct. 3.—The crown prince  
of Siam, Chulalongkorn Rajavidyalok,  
has been seen and investigations  
kept him on this side of the  
city, considerably longer than at  
contemplated, finally sailed for  
New York today, accompanied by his  
entourage. The crown prince  
expects to visit President  
Roosevelt, make a two months' tour of  
America and then sail for Japan and  
other countries.

Riot Quelled.  
Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 3.—The min-  
ing town of Plymouth, which has been  
the scene of disturbances since the  
beginning of the year, was the scene of  
much disorder. Mobs surrounded the  
Sheriff Jacobs, being unable to  
arrest them, summoned the mil-  
itary. Colonel Dougherty sent three  
companies of the Ninth regiment to  
the scene and they arrested 11 men,  
who were held before Magistrate Pollock  
of city, who, after a hearing, held  
in \$1,000 bail each for trial at  
10 a. m. A strong guard was placed  
on the washeries.

Alabama Miners Out.  
Birmingham, Ala., Oct. 3.—Twenty-  
hundred miners in the employ of  
the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad  
company have suspended work. This  
was taken in obedience to the  
order of the executive board of the  
Alabama Miners' association, on account of  
the refusal of the operators to collect for  
union \$1 per week assessment,  
on all union miners for the bene-  
fit of the anthracite strikers in Penn-  
sylvania.

Unpleasant Surprises.  
Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 3.—A crowd of  
men at Throop were given a ratna-  
ment surprise party. They  
were taken to the Pinesville  
train, which they supposed contained  
miners, but which in fact had  
two companies of soldiers. The  
soldiers were quickly stopped, the  
miners were captured and taken  
to the Throop station. They were  
then taken to the Throop station  
and held in the Throop station.

MUCH IS  
AT STAKE

All Eyes Turned Toward Washington  
for Result of Conference is of  
Importance to Millions.

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SECRETARY SHAW  
GIVEN A SET-BACK.

His Action Authorizing Release of Re-  
serves, is Overruled.

Washington, Oct. 3.—Comptroller of  
Currency Ridgely today overruled the  
action of the secretary of treasury  
in authorizing national banks to re-  
lease the 25 per cent reserve they  
heretofore have been required to  
hold against government deposits.  
In the case of a certain bank which  
had taken advantage of the secre-  
tary's permission, Mr. Ridgely has  
held up the bank's statement and has  
refused to approve of the same until  
the 25 per cent reserve shall have  
been reserved. The result will be  
the withdrawal from the money market of  
all reserve funds thus released from  
the various banks that had availed  
themselves of the secretary's offer.  
The total amount was to have been  
\$30,000,000.

EARTHQUAKE

Greatly Alarms Residents in  
Sunny Italy.

Rome, Oct. 3.—A strong earth-  
quake was felt last evening at Terni,  
50 miles from here. The residents  
were greatly alarmed. No casualties  
have been reported.

No Criminal Liability.

Delaware, O., Oct. 3.—The grand  
jury which investigated the death of  
Nora Ferris, an inmate of the Girls'  
Industrial home, failed to find any  
criminal liability attaching to any one  
for the death of the girl. Captain  
Sciles, former superintendent of the  
home, was indicted at the report of  
alleged mistreatment of Daisy Fields,  
who died at her home in Columbus.  
The girl was an inmate of the Girls'  
Industrial school and was discharged  
from the institution at a recent meet-  
ing of the board of trustees on ac-  
count of her health.

A Million For Wesleyan.

Delaware, O., Oct. 2.—President  
Bashford of Ohio Wesleyan university  
announced that the institution has  
been successful in raising the \$1,000-  
000 twentieth century fund offering.  
Four years ago this fall he raised for  
the Ohio conference the cry for  
\$1,000,000 for the college. A few days  
ago the last amount of the sum neces-  
sary was secured. A campaign has  
already been started for another mil-  
lion, which is greatly needed.

Smith-Herrick Nuptials.

Cleveland, Oct. 3.—The wedding of  
Dr. Arthur D. Smith and Miss Mary  
L. Herrick was solemnized at "Over-  
look," the beautiful home of Orson  
Myron T. Herrick, brother of the  
 bride. Rev. Casson Wilson, rector of  
Trinity cathedral, officiated. Aside  
from relatives but a very few of the  
friends of the contracting parties were  
present. Celebrations were held in  
the evening.

CIVIL WAR  
VETERANS

Will Find the National Capitol a Place  
of Great Beauty in Honor of  
America's Brave Sons

Washington, D. C., Oct. 3.—The na-  
tional capitol is being decked out in  
gala attire to an extent seldom before  
known in her history. From one end  
of the city to the other, on every hand,  
workmen may be seen putting up a be-  
wondering array of bunting, flags and  
streamers, until the eye is sated with  
the varied display. Men who have at-  
tended other encampments of the G.  
A. R. are authority for the statement  
that the general decorations will fully  
come up to those of any other city and  
that the electrical display will far ex-  
ceed anything of the kind attempted  
before. Not only are business streets  
and the houses on the line of parade  
decorated, but in all parts of the city,  
even to the suburbs, evidence of the  
patriotism of the citizens is blossom-  
ing out in a rainbow of color.

The committee on decoration and  
illumination has been very thorough  
in its work and has introduced several  
entirely new features. During the  
week of the encampment the dome of  
the national capitol will be illumina-  
ted with searchlights for the first time  
in its history. Commander-in-Chief  
Eli Torrence had requested that the  
capitol be lighted up while the vet-  
erans were in Washington, and the  
chiefs of departments put their heads  
together to evolve the most effective  
scheme of night decoration. It was  
decided that the glow of searchlights  
on the white marble dome would pro-  
duce an unusual and striking effect,  
and the electrical engineers are now

GRAND RECEPTION  
AWAITS GEN. BOOTH.

Founder and Leader of the Salvation  
Army, Arrives Tomorrow.

GRAND RECEPTION.  
New York, Oct. 3.—A fleet of twelve  
steamers, bearing 2,000 officers and  
soldiers of the various eastern divi-  
sions of the Salvation Army, will go  
down the bay tomorrow morning to  
meet the steamship Philadelphia, on  
which General William Booth is a  
passenger. Later there will be a  
monster parade in honor of the ven-  
erable founder and leader of the Sal-  
vation Army movement.

COLLAPSE

Of Elevator Kills Two and  
Injures Many.

Lynn, Mass., Oct. 3.—Two persons  
were killed and nine badly injured by  
the collapse of an elevator in a shoe  
factory of A. E. Little, 70 Blake  
street, this morning. The dead are:  
Benjamin Serane, superintendent of  
the factory and Miss Frances Herlihy.  
The injured, with one exception, were  
women. All will recover. The elevator  
contained 12 persons when it fell.

Favors Free Coal.

Boston, Oct. 3.—Congressman Sam-  
uel W. McCall was renominated in the  
Eighth district Republican convention  
at Somerville. In his speech of ac-  
ceptance Mr. McCall said: "I believe  
a special session of congress should  
be called to make a law allowing coal  
to come into this country free of duty  
from any place. It is just as sensable  
to tax a shipload of food as to tax  
coal at the present time. I do not be-  
lieve it would really interfere with  
protection to remove the duty from  
coal."

Development in Grave Robbery Case.

Indianapolis, Oct. 3.—Another step  
was taken in the grave robbery case  
when affidavits were filed by  
Prosecutor Collins against the demon-  
strators of anatomy in the different  
medical and dental colleges in the  
city charging them with selling to  
keep a complete record of all bodies  
procured for dissection. The students  
were charged with selling to keep a  
complete record of all bodies procured  
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record of all bodies procured for dis-  
section.

FINAL

Vote to be Taken  
Tuesday.

New Code Bill

Is Nearing the Point of  
Passage.

Nash and Hanna Have Their  
People all Whipped  
in Line.

The Democratic Senators Have all  
Agreed to "Stand Pat" Against  
the Harding Police Mon-  
strosity.

Columbus, Oct. 3.—The house of  
representatives expects to complete to-  
day the consideration of the code, ex-  
cept the repealing sections. These  
were referred to a special committee,  
which will report to the house Monday.  
The final vote on the measure will be  
taken Tuesday morning, and it is an-  
ticipated that the legislature will ad-  
journ about Oct. 17.

The sections relating to the organ-  
ization and government of villages  
were considered and adopted practi-  
cally as drawn by the special com-  
mittee.

On motion of Mr. Willis a provision  
was inserted in the code to the effect  
that all officers provided in the code  
shall be elected on the first Monday  
in April, 1903, that all offices now  
existing shall be abolished on the first  
Monday in May, and that the new  
officers shall be installed at that date.

The house reconsidered the vote by  
which the Meisel amendment was  
added to the franchise sections of the  
code. This amendment provided that  
councils might take the initiative in  
the matter of street railway fran-  
chises and prescribe by ordinance the  
terms upon which renewals or grants  
might be made. The vote stood 24  
to 51.

The Democratic senators insist that  
they will "stand pat" against the  
Harding police court bill. Some of the  
minority members profess to have  
been advised that the Democrats will  
not be represented on the committee  
on conference that will be appointed  
when the house gets through with the  
code bill. They are prepared to make  
a fight on such a procedure.

WINDY CITY

Now Has a Hostelry That is  
Second to None.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 3.—The million  
dollar addition to the Auditorium  
Annex was thrown open to the public  
today. The new addition makes the  
famous hotel one of the largest as  
well as most magnificent hostleries in  
the world. New offices have been ad-  
ded to the building, an elegant new  
cave, and a lobby containing the Tiff-  
any fountain which was exhibited at  
the Buffalo exposition are also fea-  
tures of the addition to the hotel. All  
the corridors and halls of the building  
are finished in the finest of Italian  
marble.

Situation in Venezuela.

Williamsstad, Island of Curacao, Oct.  
3.—News has reached here from Ven-  
ezuela that the Venezuelan revolu-  
tionary forces under General Malu  
have effected a junction with the com-  
mand of the revolutionary general  
Mendoza, near Camatagua, in the  
state of Miranda, 50 miles south of  
Caracas. The combined forces of  
Generals Malu and Mendoza now total  
4,500 men. Last Wednesday the  
revolutionists were at San Juan de  
Los Moras, near Villa de Cura. At  
this point the government forces un-  
der President Castro, amounting to  
4,000 men, retreated precipitately be-  
fore the vanguard of the revolution-  
ists. There have been many deser-  
tions from President Castro's army.  
President Castro is now at Los Te-  
ques, a very strong strategic posi-  
tion but a few hours' ride from Car-  
acas, and which is considered nearly  
impenetrable. He is awaiting attack  
by the revolutionists.

Knight of Golden Eagle.

Springfield, O., Oct. 3.—The six-  
teenth annual session of the Grand  
Knights of the Golden Eagle, came  
to a close in Springfield with the  
election of officers, who will be  
installed in December. The grand  
master is John P. Galt, of the  
city. The grand secretary is J. H.  
Galt, of the city. The grand treasurer  
is J. H. Galt, of the city.



# Car Loads and Car Loads of New Fall Goods Have Arrived. . .

Never such a display of Suits and Overcoats in Lima.  
The A. D. Co., Rochester Made, America's Best,  
Leads them all, their large sale increasing daily. See our line at  
\$7.50 to \$16.50 and \$17.50.

In Shoes this store also leads

Keith's Shoes for Men.  
Plants & Imperial Shoes for Ladies.  
Nox 'Em All Shoes for Boys.  
L. Bros. Shoes for Girls

For the best for the least money, trade with the "Always Busy" store always.

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The Makers of **Queen Quality** Offer to Women  
One Hundred Prizes, Aggregating  
**\$5,000 IN GOLD**



We feel confident that the women who wear "Queen Quality" can show better reasons for the superiority of the "Queen Quality" shoe than can be given for any other shoe on earth, and have decided to afford them this great opportunity.

We offer FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS in prizes to the one hundred women who give the best reasons why the "Queen Quality" shoe is superior to all other shoes in the following respects:

1st—"That Comfortable Feeling" of a "Queen Quality" shoe (showing where and how they fit better than any other shoe, which is the cause of "that comfortable feeling")

2d—"The Satisfying Qualities" of a "Queen Quality" shoe (showing why women who have once tried "Queen Quality" always wear them afterwards)

3d—"The Exclusive 'Style and Individuality' of a 'Queen Quality' shoe (showing why 'Queen Quality' is the recognized leader of shoe fashions)

We wish to make it clear that no special literary ability is required to enter this contest. The prizes will NOT be awarded according to the merits of the articles from a literary standpoint, but according to the common-sense and logic and value of the reasons given.

CONDITIONS FOR COMPETING

In order to compete it will be necessary to write your article on a blank furnished by the dealer. One blank will be given with every purchase of a pair of "Queen Quality" shoes. This is to insure that every article submitted is based upon actual experience. Prizes are as follows:

First Prize, One Thousand Dollars

2d Prize, \$500  
3d Prize, \$250  
4th Prize, \$100  
5th Prize, \$50  
6th to 10th (5 Prizes), each \$25  
11th to 100th (90 Prizes), each \$10

Your article must not contain over 200 words. You may write on one or more of the points of superiority. Simply state your own ideas of what are the best reasons. Your experience may induce others to buy. Contest open from October 1 to December 25, 1902. All articles must be received by January 1, 1903. The articles will be judged and prizes awarded by a committee of prominent publishers about January 1, 1903, and the names of the winners published in this paper and in the March magazines. Address all competitive articles to Queen Quality Prize Competition, care of THOMAS G. PLANT COMPANY, Boston.

Secure your Blanks at **GOODING'S** Sole agent of Lima for Queen Quality Shoes.

## G. A. R. TO WASHINGTON.

The C. H. & D. has arranged with the Matt Armstrong Post at Lima for special train of elegant coaches and sleepers to go through without change from Lima to Washington, D. C. on account of the G. A. R. meeting. The posts from neighboring towns have been invited, and many have accepted to join them.

Sleeping car reservation can be made by calling upon Mr. F. A. Barthardt, agent, C. H. & D. R'y, and the rate is \$3.50 for the double berth which can be occupied by two persons.

Remember the coaches and sleepers are to go through without change. Apply early that you may secure good accommodations.

J. C. WINANS, G. T. A.

## THE WESTERN OHIO RY. CO.

Reduced Monthly Commutation Rate.

For the benefit of patrons who ride daily between specified stations along our lines, we will place on sale at all ticket offices beginning Oct. 1st 1902 monthly commutation tickets, one form containing 46 single way coupons for the use of school attendants and one form containing 54 single way coupons for business men, at greatly reduced rates. For further information and particulars apply at any ticket office of the company, or address The Western Ohio Railway Co., Lima, Ohio.

**CASTORIA.**  
It is the best for the skin and hair.  
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## MINERAL

Wealth Brought to Surface by the Drill.

A Supposed Rich Find Near Ft. Jennings

In Which Don Baxter is Interested, and a Thorough Investigation Will be Made Soon.

There has been quite a stir around Ft. Jennings during the past few days caused by the bringing to the surface of an ore which has the promise of valuable returns. The Delphos Herald has the following concerning the discovery:

For some time there have been rumors afloat in and about Ft. Jennings of the finding of a combination of lead and silver on the Wm. Shindler farm, just north of Ft. Jennings. At the time little attention was given to the statement and the neighbors scoffed at the idea of such a find but investigations recently made give evidence that there is some foundation to the story.

Mr. Shindler's farm was leased by Mr. Keller an oil man from Lima for Don Baxter also of Lima for oil purposes. It seems that it has been almost impossible to get water fit to drink in that territory and the lease of the Shindler farm set out to make an investigation. A number of years ago a Mr. Green who lived on the farm drilled a well but the water was not fit to drink. When they had drilled down about 30 feet a tough substance through which it was almost impossible for the drill to penetrate was encountered. At 60 feet down the drillers had not yet struck the rock and they abandoned the well. At one time there was a well located on the ground now occupied by Mr. Shindler's house and fragments of lead and silver were taken from it.

The proof that ore of paying quality was in existence was so strong that operations were commenced for sinking a shaft about 200 feet south of the house in a hollow. When a five-foot shaft had been sunk to the depth of 4 feet the workmen found a tough substance which they were unable to dig through with pick or shovel. At this point work had to be abandoned on account of the rain, but it has been decided to make a thorough test by drilling and blasting. Henry Heising of Ft. Jennings assisted the Lima men in putting down the shaft.

Long before coal was introduced into this section a chunk of the fuel was found in the well on the same farm that was put down by Mr. Green and he also found a piece of stuff, a combination of lead and silver, among the pieces of ore taken from the well. Citizens of Putnam county will remember "Indiana Billy" who had collected relics of all descriptions along the Auglaize river and among them were chunks of ore containing lead and silver. Taking into consideration the past indications and the evidence now given, it gives strength to the belief that something of interest may

be found when operations are resumed. Whether or not anything of consequence will be found cannot, of course, be said, but the people of that vicinity are eagerly waiting for the results and anticipate something good."

## BAPTISTS

Will Convene in Lima Next Week.

Fifty-Ninth Session of the Auglaize Association

Will be held at the First Baptist Church on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday—The Program.

Next week will bring another church convention to Lima. On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, October 7, 8, and 9, a convention of the Auglaize Sunday School Association and the fifty-ninth annual session of the Auglaize Baptist Association will be held at the First Baptist church on north Union street. Following is the program for the three days sessions:

**AUGLAIZE S. S. CONVENTION**  
Tuesday Afternoon.  
2:00 Devotional services C. E. Thomas  
2:30 Appointment of Committees  
2:45 Outlook and News of the Sunday School Work  
W. A. Holmes State S. S. Secretary Discussion

**Evening Session**  
7:30 Devotional Led by Prof. C. S. Winans  
8:00 Address Rev. Venker Haviland  
8:30 Address Rev. W. J. Price Spencerville  
Discussion

**Wednesday Morning.**  
8:30 Devotional Services Led by G. H. Kephart, Ada.  
Election of Officers  
9:00 Interdenominational Sunday School Wm. Rev. O. L. Martin  
Kenton R. V. C. S. Winans, Day.  
**AUGLAIZE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**  
Wednesday Morning.

10:00 Annual Session Rev. G. W. Schmitz, Ada.  
Appointment of Committees  
Reading of Church Letters  
12:00 Adjournment

**Wednesday Afternoon**  
1:30 Devotional service led by Rev. H. P. Clark, Forest.  
2:00 Introduction of New Pastors.  
Reading of Church Letters completed.  
Report of Nominating Committee.  
Church Finances

1—What are the Best Methods for a Town Church? Forest, Evening, St. Louis.  
2—Best Methods for a Country Church? M. V. Tonne, Pleasant View.  
Address by Representative of American Baptist Missionary Union and American Baptist Home Mission Society.

**Wednesday Evening**  
**B. Y. P. U.**  
7:30 Devotional song service, by O. L. Martin  
8:00 Echoes from Hwawatha.

Mrs. C. E. Thomas, Orke, Frelich.  
Solo Address: Wireless Telegraphy, Rev. A. W. Yale

**Thursday Morning.**  
8:30 Devotional Service  
Led by Miss Lizzie Smith  
B. Y. P. U. Business Session  
Address: Rev. L. S. Colborn

9:30 Association Work Resumed  
Appointment of Committees  
Report of Missionary Committee  
Rev. G. W. Schmitz

**Discussion**  
11:00 Missionary Sermon, Rev. W. N. Ferris

**Afternoon Session.**  
1:30 Devotional exercises  
Woman's Meeting  
Address for W. B. H. M. S.  
Mrs. S. M. Fulton

Address for W. B. F. M. S.  
Miss Abbie Crippen  
1:30 Reports of Committees  
Closing Business

**Evening Session.**  
7:30 Devotional Service  
Led by Rev. W. H. Gallant.  
8:00 Evangelistic sermon  
Rev. F. P. Bond

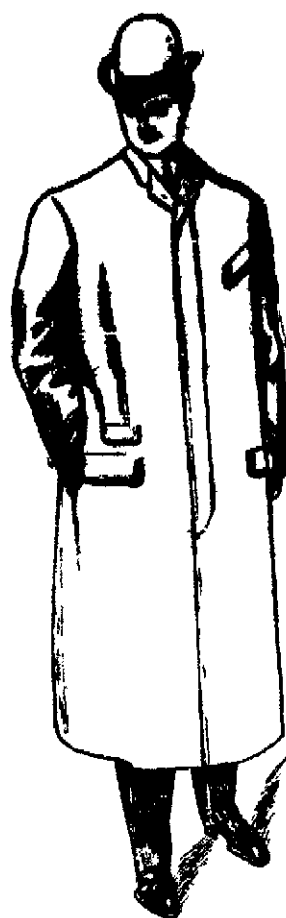
**Adjournment**  
**PATHFINDERS NOTICE.**

All members of Ontario Lodge No. 11 are requested to be present to-night as there is important work and initiation.

**GET BUSY.**  
Only a few more left of these choice lots in the Briece addition on Main and Forest avenue. If you want to make money easy get one or more of these lots as they are sure to advance in price.

**JOHN M. BOOSE, Agent,**  
201 Black Elock.

It is getting almost cold enough to make a man wonder when on his way home if there will be pumpkin pie for dinner.



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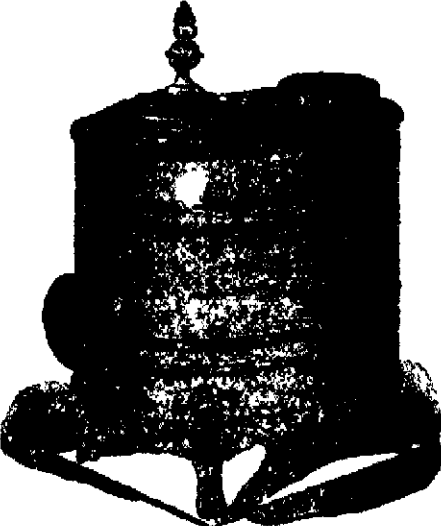


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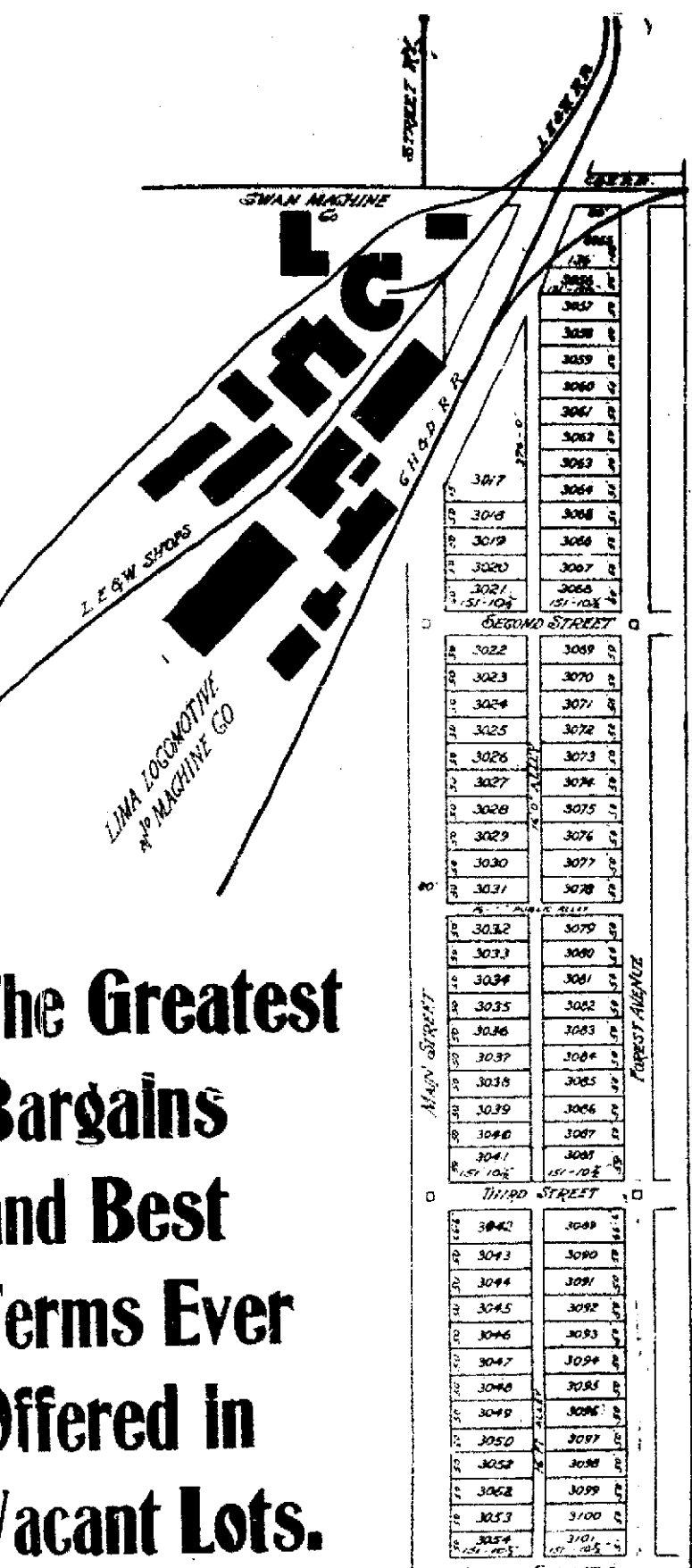
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## THREW

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Mr. and Mrs. Smith Entertain Friends.

Dr. Dickey is Host to the Woodmen at a Smoker.

Sad News Received by Mrs. Barringer of the Serious Illness of Her Son—Other News of South Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, of south Jackson street elegantly entertained a few friends at tea yesterday in compliment to Miss Dorothy Phillips, of Mt. Vernon, and N. R. Cooney, of Ada. Smoke Up.

Dr. R. V. Dickey, of south Main street, was master of ceremonies at a pleasant smoker given by him, to the members of Woodmen of the World at their lodge room last night. The affair was a happy one greatly enjoyed. The genial doctor was voted a royal good fellow.

### County Convention.

A number of members from south Lima will go to Bluffton next Tuesday, where they will attend a county convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. A number of persons from various parts of the state prominent in the work, will deliver addresses. An enthusiastic meeting is anticipated.

### Was Admitted.

Friends here of Isaac Bogart, of Columbus Grove, will be pleased to learn he successfully passed the examination for admission to the Naval Academy of Annapolis.

### Moved to Bluffton.

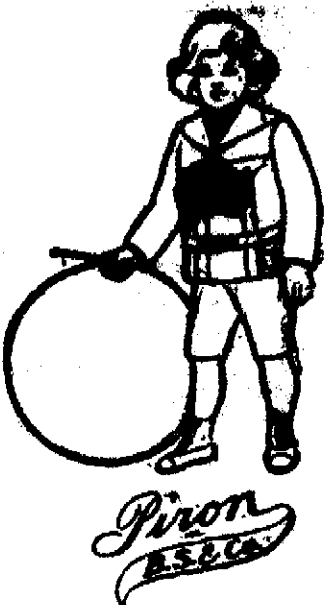
Theodore Clark, formerly employed at the refinery, has removed with his family to Bluffton where he will engage in business.

### Her Son Ill.

Mrs. Barringer, of Greenlawn avenue, received word that her son, T. L. Barringer, formerly of this city, but now of Chicago, has been compelled by ill health, to discontinue his duties as secretary for an insurance company and go to Texas, where he will remain for several months in the hope of benefiting his health.

### Elected Officers.

The following named persons have been elected officers of the Grace M. E. church Sunday school. The new corps of officers will assume their duties next Sunday. They are: C. C. Brown, superintendent; G. A. Herrett, assistant superintendent; Prentiss Lawrence, secretary; Miss Alma Beason, assistant secretary; Clarence Brookhart, librarian; Miss Ida Keifer, choirster; Miss Bessie Wetherill, organist; Miss Lena Rudy, Missionary



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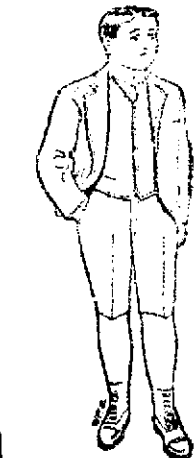
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Is our Motto. If you can find a shoddy suit in the store, you can have it free of cost.



IF YOU WANT THE VERY BEST

## Meet Me at the Lima House Corner.



treasurer: Mrs. Henry Thomas, superintendent of Home department.

### Time Changed.

Beginning October the first, the curfew bell will ring at 8:30 o'clock each evening instead of nine which time obtained during the summer.

### Resulted Seriously.

It is feared by the attending physician that the right eye of Earl Preble, which was so severely injured by being struck by a particle of steel, while he was working at the refinery the first of the week, will have to be removed. The eye was so badly cut that nearly all hope of saving it has been abandoned.

### Will Dissolve.

Hyland & Hytes, who have been conducting business on south Main street, will dissolve partnership within the next few days. The gentlemen have not yet definitely decided upon their plans for the future.

### Attending Convention.

Rev. J. W. Underwood, a former resident of south Lima, but now pastor of the Christian church at Leipsic, is the guest of Rev. G. H. Sims, of south Pine street. Mr. Underwood is here to attend the district convention of the Missionary societies of the Christian church. Today he delivered an able address upon "Sunday School Leakage and How to Stop It." The discourse was characteristic of this progressive young churchman. Mr. Underwood is the gentleman who conducted such a remarkable revival at the Leipsic Christian church last winter. The congregation was deteriorating, it being believed religious enthusiasm could never again be instilled into the members. Mr. Underwood thought differently. He resolved to stir the brethren. A brass band was secured to discourse popular airs. This attracted large crowds. They attended the meetings which were made entertaining by excellent concerts. At the proper time Mr. Underwood propounded the gospel in an interesting manner. Shortly the church was too small to accommodate the crowd. The meetings were a success. The church membership grew amazingly. A unanimous call was extended to Mr. Underwood to become pastor of the church. He accepted. The church is today one of the most prosperous in this section of the state.

### Serious Accident.

Mrs. Churchill, of south Pine street, was the victim of a painful accident yesterday. She was placing some articles upon a clothes line, when a pole supporting it fell, striking her in the right eye, which was badly cut by the

breaking of one of the lenses in her glasses.

### The Tide of Travel.

A. C. Cooney, a well known young lawyer of Kenton, while enroute to Marion, Ind., upon legal business, spent a few hours with friends in this locality.

Miss Minnie Lockwood has taken a position at Van Horn's, on south Main street.

J. B. Young and wife, of south Main street, are home from a week's visit at Columbus Grove and Kalida.

James Huffman, of south Elizabeth street, accompanied by his wife, returned from a visit with relatives at Bryan, Ind.

Cloyd Kelley, employed at W. A. Nungester's, on south Main street, yesterday lacerated his left hand very painfully upon a piece of glass he was cutting.

Richard Wolf and wife, of east Vine street, left today for a visit to Washington, D. C. They expect to remain there about two weeks.

Henry Swank, of Toledo, is the guest of Dr. William Hammond, of St. Johns avenue.

Mrs. Charles Myers, of east Kibby street, is visiting at Napoleon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Atmur attended the fair at Wapakoneta yesterday.

Mrs. O. J. Halter, of east Vine street is spending the week at Spencerville.

R. D. Wolfe, of east Vine street was at the fair in Wapakoneta yesterday.

Watch for Mrs. Stanvers advertisement next Wednesday. 42t.

## CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

The One You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Galt*

### EXCURSION TO CINCINNATI.

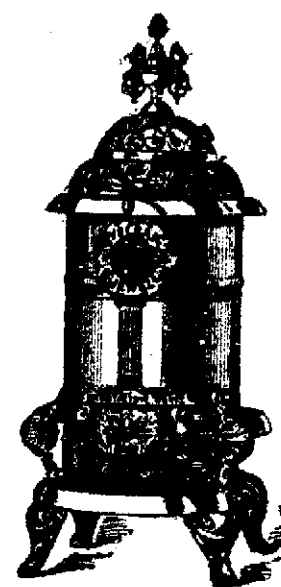
Sunday, Oct. 5th is the date of next excursion to Cincinnati via C. H. & D. railroad. Trains leave at 2:10 and 6:50 a. m. Rate \$1.50.

### BRONCHITIS FOR TWENTY YEARS

Mrs. Minerva Smith, of Danville, Ill., writes: "I had bronchitis for twenty years and never got relief until I used Foley's Kidney and Throat Pills. It is a sure cure." H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

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## DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Secretary of State,  
REV. H. S. BIGELOW,  
Of Hamilton County

For Supreme Judge,  
MICHAEL DONNELLY,  
Of Henry County.

For Member of Board Public Works,  
JOSEPH K. PATER,  
Of Butler County.

For Dairy and Food Commissioner,  
PHILIP H. BRUCK,  
Of Franklin County.

For Member of Congress,  
HARVEY GAREER,  
Of Darke County.

For Circuit Judge,  
CALEB H. NORRIS,  
Of Marion County.

For County Auditor,  
GEORGE FELTZ,  
For Clerk of the Courts,  
C. A. GRAHAM.

For Probate Judge,  
A. D. MILLER

For Prosecuting Attorney,  
Wm. KLINGER

For County Recorder,  
P. T. MELL

For County Commissioner,  
WILLIAM J. JUDKINS

For Infirmary Director,  
DAVID STEPLETON.

Immigration is steadily increasing, and it is believed the steamship companies have much to do with it by a policy of guaranteeing to intending immigrants that they shall be landed on the soil of the United States. This attempt to evade the law is overt and advertised. The companies declare that if the immigrant is turned back at any of our ports the company will take him to Canada and then put him through from that country, feeding and housing him until opportunity offers to complete the contract. The commissioner urges that the law be made more stringent in order to stop the incoming of undesirable classes. He says that the increased effort to get unworthy persons through from Canada has made it necessary to double the force of inspectors along the Canadian border.

The question of tariff reform is being made an issue in the Massachusetts campaign. Nearly all the Democratic candidates for Congress have come out squarely in favor of lower tariff. Alexander B. Bruce, the Democratic candidate in the Fifth District, says that he wants free beef, free coal, free bread-stuffs and free produce of all kinds, and favors the reduction of the tariff on trust-made articles. William S. McNary, candidate in the Tenth District, takes the same ground, while Samuel Bouda, Jr., and John A. Sullivan, of the Sixth and Eleventh Districts, respectively, pledge themselves, to vote for any proposition that will abolish the tariff on trust-made goods. Representative Conry, who is a candidate for re-election, goes further, and says that he favors the government ownership of coal, believing that it should be delivered to the kitchen exactly as water is furnished at the cost of transportation and actual operating expenses. Most of the Republican candidates for Congress are non-committal on the tariff and trusts, professing a willingness to follow Roosevelt.

## TARIFF REVISION AND ILLINOIS DEMOCRACY.

In resolving to make the campaign in Illinois on the dominant issue of the tariff and the trusts the managers of the Democratic party in that state have acted with a clear perception of the exceeding vitality of that issue.

## THE REPUBLICANISM OF ROOT AND LINCOLN.

Few utterances of the orators at the Republican campaign opening at Akron deserved very serious attention, even from Republicans. They were as a rule neither novel nor profound, and lacked both vitality and interest. One passage from Secretary Root's speech, however, invites more than the mere notice that passed with the occasion, because it illustrates very pointedly the change that modern imperialism has wrought in the attitude of Republican leaders toward fundamental American doctrines. Turning to the consideration of an alleged "new policy" of government, which was acknowledged to have been inaugurated with the administration of President McKinley, Mr. Root said:

## THE REPUBLICANISM OF ROOT AND LINCOLN.

Passing out of the boundaries of the United States, passing beyond the consideration of domestic questions; passing from the government of ourselves to the government of others, we have been trying to work out an answer to the question whether the American republic is able to maintain not only liberty and justice within our own borders, but also to carry the torch of liberty abroad, to carry the principles of liberty and justice and freedom among peoples of the earth who dwell in other lands and know not liberty and law.

This thing of "passing from the government of ourselves to the government of others" is not a trifle, although treated by Mr. Root in the most matter-of-fact way. It vividly recalls something that Abraham Lincoln said on the subject, and which we trust will not invite the accusation of "treason" or "anarchy" if here reproduced.

"No man," declared Mr. Lincoln in an address at Springfield, Ill., on the first day of October, 1854, "no man is good enough to govern another man without that other's consent. When the white man govern himself, that is self-government; but when he governs himself and also governs another man, then that is more than self-government—that is despotism. Those who deny freedom to others deserve it not for themselves, and under a just God can not long retain it."

It will be forty-eight years ago to-morrow since Mr. Lincoln spoke these words on the subject considered by Secretary Root at Akron last Saturday—the subject of "passing from the government of ourselves to the government of others."

Is there a Republican alive today who honors the memory of the great emancipator, who will say that the doctrine of Root is the doctrine of Lincoln? Is there a Republican today who will not admit that the forcible annexation of the Philippines is in defiance of the fundamental principles of the Republican party and that Mr. Root shames the memory of Lincoln when he attempts to excuse it?—Columbus Citizen.

When we get to be an angel we speak for blue ribbon to run through the embroidery that shows through our heavenly robe.

## SEE WHAT TOWNSEND HAS.

Dressed turkeys, ducks and chickens, oysters and fish at Townsend's.

## SHAWNEE COMMANDERY NOTICE.

There will be a meeting for drill, at the drill hall Masonic Temple, Monday evening, October 6, at 7:30 o'clock.

WALTER N. BOYER, Gen.

Townsend wholesale oysters.

## RAILROADS.

## Passenger Train on the L. E. &amp; W.

## Delayed at Findlay by an Unusual Accident.

## Stakes in the Engine's Firebox Became Displaced and the Locomotive "Spiked"—Other Railroad News.

M. O. Ginty, member of the advisory board of the Pennsylvania Voluntary Relief association, started up on the quarterly canvass of his territory this morning and will be thus engaged for ten days or two weeks. Despite the adverse decision of an Ohio judge in a case against the system, the relief department is growing steadily, both in a numerical way and in favor with the employees. There are now about 2,700 members in the association on the western division of the Pennsylvania which consists of that portion of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago road lying between Crestline and Chicago.—Ft. Wayne Sentinel.

Actor Sues a Railroad. Stuart Robson, the actor, has gone into the courts at Richmond, Va., to find out whether a time card adopted and published by a railroad company is a contract under which a passenger can secure damages. Mr. Robson has sued the Southern Railway company for \$2000 damages because a train run over that road was behind time, and baggage, costumes, etc., belonging to his company arrived too late for the company to give a performance as advertised. Railroad companies never give a guarantee to run regular trains on schedule time, although guarantees have been given to deliver a special train at a certain point within a specified time from leaving the initial point.

Machinist Chas. Durnbaugh, of the L. E. & W. shops, visited the Anglaize county fair yesterday.

Engineer Cliff Roberts of the L. E. & W. is suffering an attack of stomach trouble.

Fireman Val Rydman, of the C. H. & D., is visiting relatives in Toledo.

No. 2 Delayed. Train No. 2, eastbound, on the L. E. & W. was delayed in this city last night for one hour and fifteen minutes by a peculiar accident. While the train lay on the passing track in the southwestern part of the city the gates in the firebox turned in some manner and the fire was dumped out on the track. As soon as the engine cooled the engineer and fireman succeeded in turning back the gates, and after rebuilding their fire, were enabled to again start on their journey. The train was out here at 7:02.—Findlay Republican.

F-1-S-H at Townsend's

## PERSONAL MENTION.

I. P. Anders and wife and son, Boyle, are spending their vacation with Mrs. Anders sister.

Mrs. A. E. Ransbottom, of south Jackson street, delightfully entertained the G. G. club yesterday afternoon.

E. J. Davis, F. Y. Davis, J. R. Marshall, H. W. Marshall, George Wiesemeyer, J. F. Smith, Lewis McBride, T. W. Dobbins, N. W. Stemen, E. F. Davis, of this city, attended a reunion of the fifty-fourth and one hundred and eightieth regiments, O. V. I., at Van Wert, Wednesday.

C. E. McLain, of the south side, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen McLain, at Lafayette, yesterday. Mrs. McLain is suffering very poor health.

Among the Lima people that attended the Wapak fair were the Messdames Faust, Kerr, Spencer and Ebling.

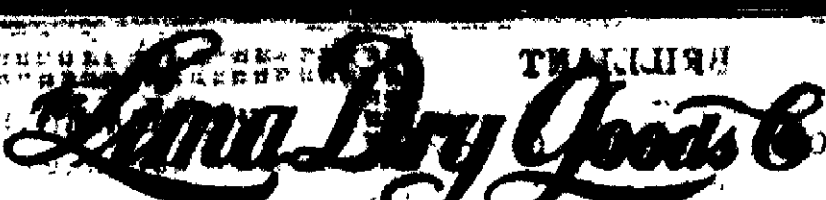
Henry Lang and wife, of Preble county, Ohio, are guests of the former's brother, Hermann Lang, and wife, of west High street.

Mrs. H. S. Rhoades and children, of west North street, will leave Monday for a visit with friends in Gibsonburg and with her aged father at Ithaca, Michigan.

Dr. Blattenberg was called to Findlay today to attend one of the race horses that met with an injury.

For Female Complaints and diseases arising from an impure state of the blood Light's Celery Nerve Compound is an invaluable specific. Sold by W. M. McVillie, old post office corner.

There is such a thing as objectionable gratitude. Remove a cat from the house, and you have a cat that stays at your house forever.



Weather—Indicating Clearness.

Presto, the transformation is complete; summer has gone, autumn is here. More packed than ever, this store presents an autumn dress with things suitable to the season. But we haven't forgotten the little prices, and the force that will blow this grand stock to scatteration all over this county are the littlist prices in Northwestern Ohio.

Tomorrow the bargain bell will ring with new force; for we announce another

## Great Saturday Bargain Sale.

We're determined that each day and each month shall show an increased business over the day or month preceding, and are putting forth every effort to break all past records. September's gain in sales was astonishing, and now we purpose to make October's gain greater in proportion. Hence you will find us continually striving to put before you some extraordinary values. The following Saturday bargain list will prove to you that we mean what we say.

## GLOVES.

We start the season with the largest line of Golf and Cashmere Gloves ever shown in Lima. Fine quality all wool Golf Gloves, solid colors, all sizes, brown, blue, black, gray and white, 25c the pair. Ladies' fancy Golf Gloves, at 39c the pair. Ladies, fancy silk and wool Golf Gloves, at 50c the pair. Ladies' very fine quality all wool Golf Gloves in solid colors, white, tan, gray, red and black, at 50c the pair. Ladies' 2-clasp Cashmere Gloves, black only, at 25c and 30c. Ladies' 2 clasp fleece lined black fabric Gloves, at 25c the pair. Children's fancy all wool Golf Gloves, at 25c and 30c the pair. Children's solid color all wool Golf Gloves, garnet, navy and black, 25c the pair.

## HOSIERY.

Only one item, but one which should interest all mothers of Children who wear stockings. 200 dozen children's fine ribbed black Hose, with double heel and toe; stockings of this quality are rarely sold for less than 12 1-2c, never less than 10c. All sizes 6 to 9 1-2, on sale Saturday only at 7c the pair.

## NOTIONS AND TOILET ARTICLES.

Mennen's Talcum Powder, 10c the box. Large Jar Rexoleum Jelly, 6c. Dr. Lyon's Tooth Powder, 21c. Rubifoam, 19c. Packer's Tar Soap, 19c. Cuticura Soap, 19c. Woodbury's Facial Soap, 20c. Listerine, 21c; large size 79c. Caudo Silver Polish, 7c. Gilt Photo Frames that were 25c, now 19c. Bead Chatelain Bags, 50c, 98c, \$1.50 and \$2.25. Gold Filled Set Rings, 50c each. Handsome Belt Sets, 35c. Beautiful Waist Sets, 25c. Blouse Sets, 25c. Leather Chatelain Bags, 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

## Dress Goods and Silks.

The touch of small prices greets you in every department of our always busy store—that's the sort of greeting that presses its way between the chinks of your pocketbook—and then filters through again into your heart—the greeting of dollars and cents. We talk Dress Goods most every day, but surely the items below are worth talking about, and loudly, too. Nothing more practically illustrates the extent we've gone to in the showing of new things—and care exercised in selection of the choicest—than the collection of Dress Goods and Silks we are showing. The items mentioned below only give you a hint of the many splendid values to be found here.

## DRESS GOODS.

46-inch very fine black Prunella Cloth, regular price \$1.39, at 98c the yard. 48-inch extra quality black Poplin, regular price \$1.50, at \$1.00 the yard. Splendid quality 46-inch black Cheviot, exceptional value at 50c the yard. 30-inch black Cheviot of very superior quality at 75c the yard. 38-inch all wool black Henrietta, at 25c the yard.

## ART DEPARTMENT

Is preparing for a big business from now till Gift-giving time. Many new things are now on exhibition. Splendid new designs in Pillow Tops and Pillow Cover 15c, 25c, 60c and \$1.00. We mention particularly the arrival of 200 handsome Pillow Covers (front and back) beautiful now designs of autumn leaves, price 35c. New Stamped Linens, all sizes and designs, prices range from 10c to \$1.00 each.

25 pieces 36-inch Mohair figured black Dress Goods in neat styles, goods that are worth and sell every day at 25c, at 12 1-2c the yard for this Saturday only.

## BLACK SILKS.

21-inch very superior quality black Taffeta Silk manufacturer's guarantee woven in the Selva of every yard, worth \$1.00, at 79c the yard. 30-inch extra quality Taffeta Silk—notice 'tis a yard wide—regular price \$1.25, at 98c the yard.

## UNDERWEAR.

We open the fall season in this department by placing on sale tomorrow— 5 cases Women's fine ribbed Vests and Pants, heavily fleeced and nicely made, exceptional quality, at 25c each. We can get only five cases of this number, there'll be no more when these are gone, and we urge you to purchase your supply now.

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on a Profitable  
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s Granted to Protect  
a Lima Inventor.

er Boyer Has an Inven-  
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the Farmers

is Appliance Overcomes the  
ticular Objection to the Gen-  
ral Run of Corn Husking  
Machines.

er Boyer, of Conant, and W. E.  
Lima, have succeeded in ob-  
taining from the government the pa-  
tents on an attachment to be ap-  
plied to corn husking machines which  
not only solves the problem of  
making the husking machine  
manual benefactor to the farm-

are being manufactured today  
at machines for the stripping of  
the husks and husking the ears, but the  
difficulty has been to prevent the  
of considerable grain which is  
lost from the ear as the stalks  
pass through the tearing process. It  
is the invention of Mr. Boyer that  
has been overcome and a  
very satisfactory test has been  
of the appliance. The object is to  
have a more direct suction or cir-  
cling of air through the machine  
removal of the fodder, and to  
in connection with the suction  
blower so disposed as to direct  
it out of an toward the fan, thus  
drawing the feed of the husks, and  
drawing the corn to a separation.  
The husked corn is deposited in  
a chute and the ears are separat-  
ed on the shaft by the shredding  
action of the husks and stalks  
are or less violent handling of  
the grain within the machine serves  
to shell or detach a consid-  
erable number of grains from the ears.  
The shelled corn is conveyed  
to a machine with the husks and  
is a carrier and is precipitat-  
ed on a separating rack. The vi-  
bration of the rack effects the rear-  
ward feed of the husks and at the same  
separates them to insure the  
passage of the shelled corn through  
the rack into the direct range of  
blast from the blower.  
To the rack is effected for the  
purpose of raising the separation of  
shelled corn from the husks and  
a considerable amount of light  
is apt to fall below the rack with-  
in and if not carried rearward  
by the auxiliary blast, will  
fall upon a screen which is  
of such mesh as to permit the  
chopped feed into a riddle shoe  
to gravitate down the inclined  
plane to the corn chute where it is  
deposited in a sack.  
After having performed its  
duty in connection with the clean-  
ing of the corn, it is utilized to drive  
the fan into the fan casing, where the  
rotation of the fan will cause their  
passage through a shaft to a fod-  
der chute.  
After having perfected his invention  
the assistance of Mr. Orr, Mr.  
had it manufactured by a firm  
makes husking machines at  
Creek, Mich., and a number of  
have been sold. Splendid re-  
sults their success followed, farm-  
ers had used the machines with-  
out attachment, stating that the  
moment has saved from 18 to 30  
percent of otherwise wasted corn in a  
husking. It is the intention of  
the Creek establishment to put  
1,000 of the machines on  
order for the next year and the  
patent of the patent are sure to be  
heavily rewarded for their dis-  
tinguished genius. The separator can be  
applied to any of the husking ma-  
chines now manufactured and there  
is a big royalty or chance of a  
big round figure, awaiting  
enterprises.

play of fall millinery at  
Cahill's, Friday and  
Saturday, Oct. 3rd and 4th.  
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HAY TOWNSEND HAS.  
Turkeys, Ducks, Fish,  
Chickens, Lamb,  
and Groceries in the City,  
Fresh Vegetables,  
Fancy line of Cheese,  
Honey, Pickles.

They have been benefited  
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**BRILLIANT**

Country Wedding, (Continued)  
Wednesday Evening.

Eighty Guests Witness the Marriage  
of Mr. J. F. Dolebohn and Miss  
Viola Dilsaver.

Wednesday evening, at the home of  
the bride's parents, west of this city,  
Mr. J. F. Dolebohn and Miss Viola  
Dilsaver, both prominent young people  
of the county, were united in mar-  
riage. The nuptial event was a bril-  
liant one that was witnessed by about  
eighty of the friends and relatives of  
the happy bride and groom. The  
marriage ceremony was performed by  
the Rev. C. F. Cremon and was fol-  
lowed by the serving of an elaborate  
wedding supper. On behalf of the  
guests and friends of the bride and  
groom Rev. Cremon presented the  
happy couple with a large number of  
handsome wedding gifts. The home  
was beautifully decorated with flowers  
and plants and the scene was a charm-  
ing one when Miss Judkins played a  
wedding march and the bride and  
groom took their positions before the  
officiating minister in the parlor and  
took the vows that united their lives.  
Among the guests present were:  
Rev. C. F. Cremon and wife, of Col-  
let, Ind.; Mr. E. D. Essick, of Green-  
ville, O.; Mr. and Mrs. McKinney, of  
Delphos; Mr. and Mrs. Benedict and  
daughter Nellie, and Mr. and Mrs. J.  
M. Long, Mr. and Mrs. H. DeLong,  
and Mr. R. Allen, of Allentown; Mrs.  
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**HIGH SCHOOL**

Foot Ball Team Plays at  
Fostoria Tomorrow.

Lima Lads will Test the Powers of  
Van Wert Eleven Here a Week  
From Saturday.

Tomorrow afternoon the Lima high  
school foot ball team will meet the  
Fostoria high school eleven on the  
gridiron at Fostoria. The local team  
is in fine condition and the boys ex-  
pect to return home tomorrow night  
with eleven Fostoria scalps dangling  
from their belts.  
One week from tomorrow the Van  
Wert team will be here to play a game  
with the local high school team.

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Are the Piano Bargains at the  
Old Reliable B. S. Porter  
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Large Variety of New Styles of  
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And Many Other Reliable  
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A number of good upright pianos,  
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Twenty-five good organs from \$10  
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We will save you \$50 to \$100 in  
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B. S. PORTER & SON,  
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Call and see us before you buy.  
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**THE MAMMOTH.**

We Rent  
Full Dress Suits.

Commencing tomorrow, we invite you one and all to look over this great  
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array of merchandise ever gathered under one roof in Lima. Bear in mind  
that our stock is not the collections of many makers who manufacture goods  
that they feel ashamed to put their name on. All our goods are made by  
makers of clothes who feel proud to attach their name to the product, and we  
stand behind every garment we sell which makes the guarantee absolute.

**First Showing Tomorrow of Winter Overcoats**

Men's Durable Overcoats, well made, good linings, come in the good  
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Men's Fashionable Overcoats, in black, blue, brown and oxford grey  
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values ever shown and positively not obtainable elsewhere under fifteen  
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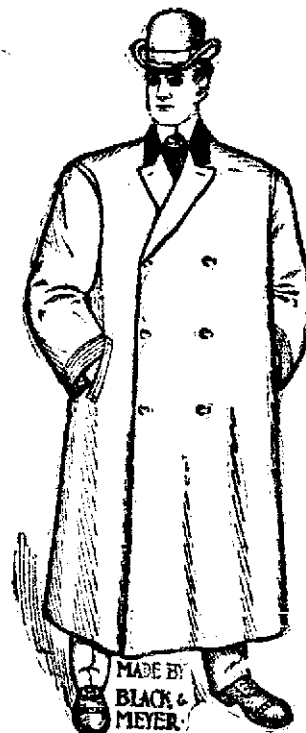
**THE SEASON'S CRAZE.**

The popular Belt Overcoat will be the craze this season among fad  
dressers, and we have the most remarkable values to offer in this special  
style.

Fine imported plaid Irish Frieze Overcoats, extra long, loose fitting  
with belt, worth \$18.00 and \$20.00, at respectively \$12.00 and \$15.00.

MEN WHO DESIRE something extraordinarily clever in overcoats,  
we especially invite to examine our extra fine Overcoats that we safely say  
are finer than the average custom made coats. The workmanship shows  
its excellence at a glance, the linings are the most luxurious to be had and  
the general appearance is particularly pleasing. We offer these gar-  
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MEN'S SUITS. We offer our patrons tomorrow a special line of fine  
suitings that have just come in, made of fine double and twist yarns, the  
most fashionable suits in the market today, that we offer tomorrow at  
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**CHILDREN'S CLOTHING.**

Extra good values in our Children's Department.

Children's all wool Suits, double breasted  
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\$2.00.

Children's Norfolk Suits, ages 3 to 10,  
all wool, fashionable colors, at

\$2.50.

Children's fine Knee Pants Suits in Nor-  
folk, Blouse and double breasted styles, ex-  
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\$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00.

Children's Sweaters, numerous styles, at  
75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.



Children's Double Breasted Russian Over-  
coats, ages 3 to 9, velvet collar, button to  
neck, extra values at

\$1.98, \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50.

Children's very fashionable Overcoats,  
trimmed with Astrakhan and especially at-  
tractive, at

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Boys' long loose fitting Overcoats, ages  
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\$3, \$5 and \$7.50.

**Men's Furnishings.**

Great showing of men's fine Shirts, Manhattan  
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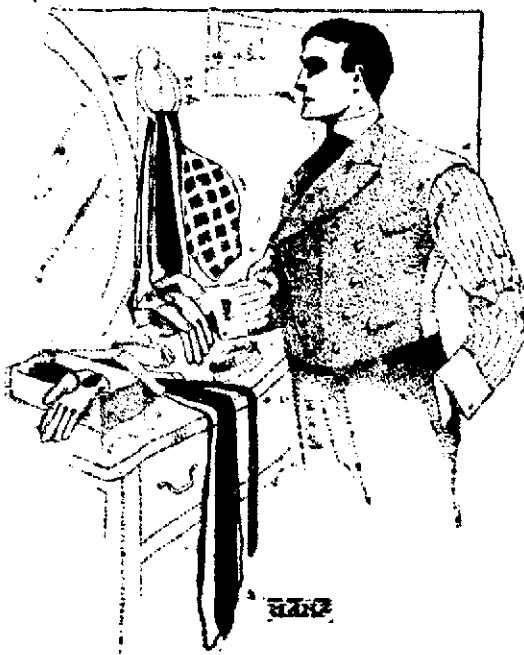
New ideas in Men's Neckwear. Various styles  
4-in hands, Tecks, Bows, Strings, etc. Pretty rich  
silks at 25c and 50c.

Men's fine Dogskin Gloves in tan and oxblood  
shades, good values at \$1.00.

Men's fine ribbed blue and tan Wool underwear,  
all sizes and extra fine wool, at \$1.00.

Men's fancy cotton ribbed Underwear, silk front,  
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We are the largest distributors in Lima of the  
celebrated Wright's Fleece Lined Underwear. By  
buying here you get fresh goods and always your  
size.



**Extra Hat Special.**

For tomorrow we  
offer 20 dozen fine  
Stiff and Soft Hats  
that we bought of a  
prominent maker  
who removed his  
name and sold them  
to us at a great reduc-  
tion. Tomorrow we  
offer Three Dollar  
Hats at



**TWO DOLLARS.**

**MAYOR'S COURT.**

A Few Prisoners Arraigned  
For Drunkenness.

Frank Smith, a boiler-maker from  
Chicago, James Burns and W. M.  
O'Brien, also strangers, H. B. Gunk  
and Ira Edwards were all arraigned in  
mayor's court this morning on  
charges of drunkenness. Smith was  
committed in default of a fine of \$5  
and Burns was given his choice of serv-  
ing thirty days or getting out of  
town. He chose the latter. O'Brien  
and Frank were discharged and Ed-  
wards was committed in default of  
\$10 fine.

Greig & Co. will save you  
money on anything in the  
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WANTED—A first class furniture  
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WANTED—An experienced girl to do  
housework in small family. Inquire  
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GIRL WANTED—For housework;  
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Call at once 522 west Market street. 2-3t

WANTED—Competent maid for  
housework. Three in family. Good  
wages. Apply a. once to 1023 west  
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LOST—Pocket book containing legal  
papers and receipts. Finder please  
leave same at Haller's store and re-  
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WANTED—Good live canvasser for  
part or whole time; free outfit,  
steady employment, prompt pay  
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**FOR RENT.**

FOR RENT—Two houses on Second  
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FOR RENT—Furnished room. In-  
quire at 469 north Elizabeth street. 5-3t

FOR RENT—Six rooms, 4 up and 2  
down stairs. Apply at Doyle's gro-  
cery, corner Elizabeth and Grand  
avenue. 2-3t

**FOR SALE.**

FOR SALE—Household furniture,  
must be sold by the 11th of October.  
Inquire at 312 west North. 4-3t

FOR SALE—At a bargain, one Stein-

way square piano, one Light &  
Bradbury, nearly new. C. W.  
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FOR SALE—Oil wells and leases, 41  
wells, 1067 acres, production 40 bar-  
rels; also one gas plant. Inquire of  
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**MISCELLANEOUS.**

MME. IVES—Scientific palmist, pupil  
of St. Germaine, 208 north West  
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business, love, and all matters, tells  
if the one you love is true. Palm  
readings, 25 cents; cards 50 cents.  
Hours 10 a. m. to 9 p. m.; Sunday,  
same. Last week. 2-3t

FOUND—A purse on west Wayne  
street, Saturday evening. Call at  
122 west Wayne street. 2-3t

STRAYED—Two horses, one black  
and one bay, out of harness. Finder  
please notify McClellan's barn. 4-1t

WANTED—Good dining room girl,  
also a good porter at the New Hoff-  
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OPERA HOUSE.**

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Phenomenal engagement of the  
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LEROY—Inc of "The Great Tripple  
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BOLCO—"The German Wizard" direct from  
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Pearl Charlton Seward  
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Barbiting. Mystifying.  
Sawing through a solid oak table.  
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Drills in

## A Large Well

In Reliable Old Hancock  
County.Indiana's Star Oil County  
Shows a Decided Loss  
in Production.Wells County Does More Than Its  
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Fields—Oil News.

## OIL MARKET.

Penna. oil	.....\$1.37
Burnsville oil	.....1.22
Somerset oil	......73
Corning oil	......73
New Castle oil	.....1.05
North Lima oil	......97
South Lima oil	......89
Indiana oil	......84
White House oil	......84
Lacy oil	......73

In the northern portion of Hancock county, the Star Oil company has a first class producer in its ninth well on the Albertus Decker farm, section 36 Allen township. In 24 hours after the shot the well placed 1 bbl of oil the shot the well placed 100 bbls oil same township Taylor Bros. have completed their No. 6 H. Kuhlman, and have a poor outlook for a well, though it may make a small pumper.

The Bluffton end of the Hancock county field has not done much of late to warrant the extravagant claims which are being made for it. Of three wells completed the past week, the best was the Allen Consolidated Oil Co.'s No. 4 J. G. Henry, section 29, Orange township, which made 30 bbls the first day. In section 29 the Star Oil Co.'s No. 2 A. Kimball starts at 17 bbls and in section 7, Gifford &

Co.'s No. 9, A. G. Owens was a 20-barreler. In Union township, the Detroit Oil company has a good one at No. 1 J. B. Wagoner, section 24, which made 75 bbls the first day. D. W. Beatty's No. 5 J. A. Thompson, section 36 was a 20-barreler. The Ohio Oil company got a 10-barreler in the test on the Judith Shoemaker farm, section 34, and the same company's No. 4 Mary J. Hartman, section 24, made 25 bbls the first day.

G. C. Dean & Co.'s test well on the S. M. Deeds farm, in section 6 of Eagle township, is credited with being a 10-barreler. This was something new, but was not very promising as a start.

In Portage township, the Ohio Oil Co.'s No. 1 F. Twining, section 27, made 15 bbls the first day.

Late wells in Liberty township have been of small calibre, the best of a quartette of new ones being two 30-barrelers. Kelly & Ely have one in their No. 21 F. J. Hastings, section 2, while the Ohio Oil Co., has another in No. 13 C. Grubb, section 17. The Ohio's No. 8, A. Smeitzer, section 17, is pumping salt water. Patty & Newton Bros., completed No. 22 J. Algie, in section 14, with a 10 barreler as the result.

In Marion township, the People's Oil & Gas Co.'s No. 9 V. H. Coons, section 3, started producing naturally at the rate of 30 bbls a day, and the Ohio Oil Co.'s No. 2 Maria Ingle made 10 bbls naturally the first 24 hours.

In Cass township, the Ohio's No. 1 E. Hudson started at 20 bbls, and in No. 5 Catharine Baker was good for 25. J. B. Hazlett & Co. have a 30-barreler in No. 8 N. Huffman, section 26, and Weatherly & Poe's No. 3, H. B. McCracken, section 22, is pumping salt water.

## Grant County's Record.

The production for Grant county shows a considerable decline for the month just ended, with a slight gain in the number of new wells. The completions numbered 100, while the aggregate of output was 1681 barrels, and 15 were dry. For August the new wells were 38, production 1850, and dusters 9. The average of production in August was 19 barrels, but this time it gets down to less than 17 barrels. In new work there is a slight decrease, the rigs numbering 63 and wells drilling 123, a loss in total of 5. Grant has been the busiest county in the entire Hoosier hold all during the summer, and the small declines which are noted this month are not in the least surprising. The drill has been pounding with

such a steady effect, that a natural decline must result with the closing of the summer months. Some of the changes in this month's record are noted in the Franklin township field, where less lively work will be the rule hereafter. In Center, Washington and Mill townships, there appears to be room for continued improvement. Van Buren township is still the scene of most activity, but it cannot be expected that that district is going to supply many of the largest wells in the future. The present outlook is for quite an extension of the Washington township area, and some good sized wells should be found in various portions of that township. In Center township, many of the new wells are better than the ordinary run, while in Mill, there is an opening for considerable work to the southward. Optimistic views can evidently still be held for the big county.

## Wells County's Surprise.

Those who have followed the detailed reports of operations throughout the month, could not fail to see that Wells county was completing more than its share of producers, and that some of them were in a class which had been considered a little large for that neighborhood. When the returns are all figured it is shown that Wells county had 97 completions during the month, with a total daily output of 1389 barrels, and 12 were devoid of oil. For August, there were 77 new wells in the county, with an output of 1256 barrels. Thus the gain was 20 in new wells and 124 in output. The average of production per well is smaller than in August, being only 14 1-5, as compared with 16 2-3. The heavy decline in last month's report from July figures gave good opportunity for the show of an increase this month. In new work there is a decline of 19 in rigs and 4 in drilling wells, the total being only 65, against 79 last month.

Blackford county had 42 wells completed, with a total output of 574 barrels, and 7 dusters which shows an increase of 10 in the new completions, but a decline of 8 barrels in output. This county showed such a large increase last month, that it is doing good to hang so close to the high figures again. The new wells show an average output of 13 2-3 barrels, while in August it had gone up to 18 barrels. There is a good deal of the troublesome gas in that neighborhood and some of these days it may be expected that Blackford will make a little better showing in the monthly reports. In new work there is a gain of 8 in rigs, the total being 34 drilling

and rigs. The county does not cut much figure in this month's report, though there is a gain of 1 in the number of wells completed. For also wells there was a total new production of 68 barrels, and 3 of them were dry. This is a decline of 33 barrels in production. An average of less than 7 barrels to the well is not very promising for an increased output. There are 2 rigs up in the county and 7 wells drilling, the total of 9 being 1 less than was reported at the end of August.

Adams county has 27 wells completed, with new production of 508 barrels, and 5 dusters. The wells show a decrease of 1, but their average output was considerably smaller, as the aggregate of production shows a decline of 156 barrels. Each well produced an average of about 19 barrels, as compared with nearly 24 for the new ones in August. There is a gain of 1 in new work, rigs numbering 7, and wells drilling 23. There is considerable wildcatting in Adams county, but it is a question whether any of it will ever amount to much. Some extravagant tales have emanated from that district in the past few weeks, but the results are not apparent when it comes to a show down.

## Big Gain in Huntington.

The scene of activity appears to be moving into Huntington county, and from present indications, there will be considerable doing in the backwash before the pleasant days have passed. Just now Huntington holds the palm, and is rapidly taking a place in the front rank of Hoosier counties. During the month, there were 26 wells completed within the confines of the county, their aggregate daily production being 642 barrels, while 4 were dry. In August, there were 15 wells with an output amounting to 409 barrels. The gain is thus seen to be 11 in wells and 233 barrels in production. The average of production per well is still maintained at nearly 25 barrels, and has been at this high figure or better for several months past. There are 13 rigs up and 2 wells drilling in the county, the total of 34 being just twice the total at the close of the previous month. There is room for a wide extension of producing areas in Huntington county, and some of it is being opened up as rapidly as the operators can do the work. It seems a natural inference that the limit has not been reached on the north, and some of the wells now under way will determine just how far it is safe to venture in that direction.

The older field of Madison county has been at about the same level for months, with a little new work under way in the northern extension. The wells completed during September numbered 8, with a production amounting to 33 barrels, which is two more wells than were completed last month, but a decline of 2 barrels in output. There were 4 dusters this month as against only 1 in August. There are now 2 rigs up and 6 wells drilling in the county, a loss of 1 in drilling wells.

Delaware county shows a gain of 3 in completed wells, but a decline of 23 barrels in new production. The wells numbered 10, and their output was 12 barrels. Five were devoid of oil. The over supply of gas has considerable effect in this county, as a large percentage of the wells are made less valuable by the presence of the lighter fluid. There are 2 rigs up and 7 wells drilling, a total identical with that reported at the first of the month. Randolph county reveals general declines for the month. There were 3 new completions, none of which produced any oil while in the previous month 21 barrels of the oleaginous product were secured from 5 wells. There are nine wells under way in the county, a gain of 3 in rigs and 3 in wells drilling.

America's Famous Beauties look with horror on skin eruptions, blotches, sores, pimples. They don't have them, nor will any one, who uses Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It glorifies the face. Eczema or salt rheum vanishes before it. It cures sore lips, chapped hands, chilblains, infallible for piles. 25c at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store.

## EXCURSION TO TOLEDO,

Sunday, Oct. 5th, trains leaving Lima at 5:30, 7:43 and 11:57 a. m. Rate \$1.25.

"WATCH THE KIDNEYS" "When they are affected, life is in danger," says Dr. Abernethy, the great English physician. Foley's Kidney Cure makes sound kidneys. H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

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## EXCURSIONS TO THE EAST.

Low Fare to Washington, D. C., New York and Boston via Pennsylvania Lines.

To Washington, D. C.—\$11.40 round trip from Lima, October 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th. Return limit October 14th, with privilege to extend until November 3rd, 1902.

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For special information apply to F. M. Eakin, ticket agent of the Pennsylvania Lines, Lima.

## He Learned a Great Truth.

It is said of John Wesley that he once said to Mistress Wesley: "Why do you tell that child the same thing over and over again?" "John Wesley, because once telling is not enough." It is for this same reason that you are told again and again that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cures colds and grip; that it counteracts any tendency of these diseases to result in pneumonia, and that it is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

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## His Life in Peril.

I just seemed to have gone all to pieces," writes Alfred Bee, of Welfare, Tex., "biliousness and a lame back had made life a burden. I couldn't eat or sleep and felt almost too worn out to work when I began to use Electric Bitters, but they worked wonders. Now I sleep like a top, can eat anything I have gained in strength and enjoy hard work. They give vigor to my health and new life to my sick, run-down people. Try them. Only 50c at H. F. Vorkamp's, cor. Main and North streets.

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"The fastest selling article I have in my store," writes August T. Smith of Davis Ky., "Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, because it always cures. In my six years of sale it has never failed. I have known it to save sufferers from throat and lung diseases, who could get no help from doctors or any other remedy. Mothers rely on it, best physicians prescribe it, and it F. Vorkamp guarantees satisfaction or refund price. Trial bottles, free. Regular sizes, 50c and \$1.

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W. W. Baker, of Plainview, Neb., writes: "My wife suffered from lung trouble for 11 years. She tried a number of doctors and spent over \$1,000 without relief. She became very low and lost all hope. A friend recommended Foley's Kidney and Tar, and thanks to this great remedy she saved her life. She enjoys better health than she has known in ten years." Refuse substitutes. H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

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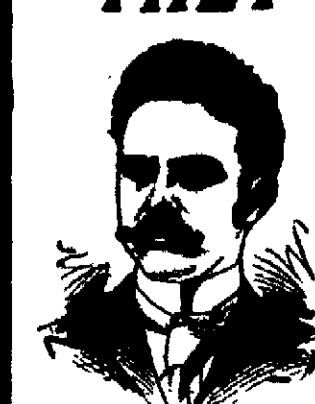
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Ladies All diseases peculiar to your sex successfully treated. You may consult us in confidence, no matter what the trouble may be.

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It is with much pleasure that we announce to our many patrons and Lima people generally our fall opening and display of the latest Shoe Fashions in footwear. The marked increase in the volume of our business during the past spring and summer, over all other seasons, leaves no doubt in our minds that this fall and winter can bring other than success to us, and guaranteed satisfaction to you.

We have made a strenuous and fruitful effort to place before you the strongest and most complete Shoe stock ever shown in Lima, which places us in a position where every foot in this city has a pair of Shoes awaiting it.

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With many thanks for past favors, we  
await your Fall Demands.

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## Faurot Opera House.

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# JURY

May be Ready by  
Monday  
And No Time

Lost on Account of the  
New Law.

Commission is at Work on  
the List That Goes to  
the Wheel

And the Task May be Completed in  
Time for the Drawing of the  
New Grand Jury To-  
morrow.

No time is being lost to meet the emergency which has arisen in the selection of a grand jury for the fall term of court, which opens Monday. According to the directions of Judge Cunningham, the jury commission selected Wednesday afternoon met at the court house today and this afternoon is engaged in selecting the 300 names which are to take the place of those now in the wheel.

The commission was instructed to complete the task as quickly as possible and if the work is finished in time the new jury will be drawn tomorrow and summon's served as rapidly as possible.

Judge Cunningham is anxious to get the jury to work on Monday, as would have been the case had the new law not interfered, and everybody concerned is working toward that end.

Not for a number of years, and it is questionable as to whether in the history of the new jail, there have been as many prisoners confined at one time as the report now shows. Yesterday Sheriff Barr had 22 offenders awaiting disposal, but the number reduced to 20 by the removal of James Dillon to the work house and the release of Frederick Haas on bail.

Most of the lot are awaiting the action of the grand jury and it is safe to say that a majority will be held for trial insuring their presence for at least a month longer. One or two will no doubt plead guilty soon after an indictment is returned but there will be several left to take their chances with the petit jury under a plea of not guilty.

## The Case Submitted.

Judge Miller held a session of court in the common pleas room this morning and heard the argument in the case of Mary Jane Pangle vs. John R. Brown, which is a proceeding in aid of execution. The defendant is a resident of Delphos and claims to have no property which can be levied on to secure the payment of a judgment. The case has been submitted and Judge Miller will reserve his decision until he can go over the evidence more thoroughly.

## Both the Royalties.

Judge Armstrong has handed down a decision in favor of the defendant in the suit of Florence E. R. Brill against Martin A. Leathers and other heirs of the estate of the late Harrison Leathers, of Ridge township, Van Wert county. The plaintiff sued for a share in the oil well royalties due the estate. The widow holds life interest in the property under the will and the court's decision gives to her the royalties in question as long as she lives.

## Real Estate Transfers.

Mae D. Clark to Elizabeth Jones, lot 3127, Clark's addition to Lima, \$400.

Henry Hidenour to J. W. Lusk, 60 acres of land in Perry township, \$5,000.

Margaret Groome to Fred Groome, 52 acres in Amanda township, \$1,000.

## BANQUET

Attended by the Gospel Regiment Boys.

Y. M. C. A. Entertained the Lads in Royal Style and all Enjoyed it.

The Gospel Regiment composed of the bright lads who belong to the Y. M. C. A. had the building to themselves last night and a better time was never enjoyed behind the doors of the institution. There were 128 present, and aside from the enjoyment furnished in other ways the regiment was served a luncheon in true military style.

C. C. was awarded a prize of a big box of candy for the largest collection of the quarter, and Co. B a smaller one for guessing nearest to the amount collected. Sunday afternoon new officers will be elected for the next quarter.

This evening at 8 o'clock, the men's class, composed mostly of those who cannot be present in the afternoons, will meet for the first time, and go through he exercises under the direction of Prof. Shepard. The class is a large and enthusiastic one.

## THE ELKS

Initiated Three Candidates Last Evening.

Last night the Elks held an enjoyable session during which three candidates for membership were given a trip down the cinderpath and after the initiations an informal social session was held. The baby Elks are Messrs. C. A. Graham, Theo. Feist and Mr. Ed. Taylor, of Unioptolis.

John M. Boose can show you some elegant bargains in homes and vacant lots. If in the market see him before buying.

Tomorrow is the last day of the grand fur opening at R. T. Gregg & Co's. Attend it.

Watch for Mrs. Stanyer's advertisement next Wednesday. 4-21.

Townsend wholesales oysters.

# GOOD

Attendance is Continued Today  
At the Session

Being Held by O. C. M. S. Delegates.

Ladies in Charge of Meeting Scheduled for This Afternoon.

Convention Closes With the Services of This Evening's Programme—Prof. Parks, of Ada, Speaks Tonight.

The convention of the Third District, Ohio Christian Missionary society, in session at the Wayne street church of Christ, listened last evening to two stirring addresses.

In the absence of the state secretary, S. H. Bartlett, the special agent of the society, C. A. Ragau, spoke on the subject, "Why Support Ohio Missions?" Miss Mary Lyons, state secretary, and organizer for the Christian Woman's Board of Missions, told of the work of that organization in America.

The session this morning maintained the high standard set for the convention yesterday. The convention was called to order at 9:30 by vice president, W. A. Brundige. The annual report of the churches of the district was read by secretary J. W. Underwood, of Leipsic. It showed a gratifying increase in the membership of the churches and a flourishing financial condition.

The morning session was devoted to the consideration of Sunday school work. J. V. Symington, of Lima, considered "The Boy Problem," and gave some practical plans for its solution. A. F. Reiter, of Bluffton, urged the need of interesting the boys and girls in some missions by means of "Boys and Girls Rally Day," and E. D. Kemper, of Dunkirk, presented "The Characteristics of a Good Sunday School Teacher." "How to Prevent Lechage in the Sunday School" was presented by G. H. Sims, of Lima, in a few pithy points. This was followed by a round table conducted by G. A. Ragau, which aroused a good deal of interest and developed many practical ideas in Sunday school work.

Remember that Prof. Parks, of Ada, will address the convention tonight, and all are welcome.

The programs for the session of the Christian Women's Board of Missions which began at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, and for the closing services of the convention this evening are as follows:

C. W. B. M. Program.  
Song and praise service led by Mrs. Dr. McKittinck.

## Quaker's report.

Mrs. W. E. Myer, "Quaker Methods in the Auxiliary." Mr. Tracy, "Personal Observations in Japan." Miss Jane Whitstone, "The C. W. B. M. in their Home Churches."

Mrs. Jack Tyler, "The Workings of the C. W. B. M. in their Home Churches."

Mrs. Slaybaugh, "Reports of committees."

Quartet, "How to Gain Victory in the work."

Mary Lyons, state secretary. Second Day, Evening Session.

7:00—Praise and song service.

7:15—Reports of C. E. societies.

7:40—Address, Prof. J. G. Park, Ada.

## OUTSIDE

Of the Money Were the Lima Horses

Entered in Yesterday's Races at the Fair Being Held at Findlay.

The Lima horses entered in the races at Findlay have not broken the bank as yesterday's results show. Roy M. a Hoytsville, Mich., horse, captured the 2:23 pace in straight heats, 2:24 1/2 being the best time. In the 2:40 trot, Joste Wilson owned by A. G. Caster, of Findlay, was first under the wire, leading the field of ten in each heat. Burt Onward, winner of the big end of the purse at the Lima fair, finished an undisputed second. Frank Irvington, owned by D. J. Cable got fifth place, finishing fourth in the first and second heats and eighth in the third.

There are three events scheduled for this afternoon, and Kate D, another product of the Spring Valley farm, will try her speed in the 2:24 trot.

## QUAKER BUSY.

Enterprise Displayed by B. S. Porter & Son's.

A TIMES DEMOCRAT reporter dropped into Porter & Son's Music Store on the Midway, this afternoon and found everyone as busy as busy could be. But this was no great surprise as there is always an air of bustle about this enterprising establishment. With one of the largest and best lines of pianos and organs to select from in Northwestern Ohio, and at prices that cannot help but attract, is it any wonder that the Quaker is kept on the jump? And is it any wonder that they always satisfy, with fourteen different makes of Pianos to select from. The fact that this concern has been doing business in Lima for years is evidence that the people of Lima and vicinity have confidence in them. The TIMES-DEMOCRAT does not hesitate in guaranteeing that Porter & Son can save you money on any piano you want, whether they have it in stock or not.

## DEATH'S HAND

Terminates the Illness of Edward G. Riley.

Edward G., the three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Riley, of 1234 West Market street, died at 10 o'clock this morning, death resulting from spinal trouble. Funeral services will be held at the residence at 2 o'clock Monday and will be conducted by Rev. George W. Anderson. Interment will be made in Woodlawn cemetery.

## NIGHT SCHOOL.

The regular night school at the Lima business college opens Monday evening. Sessions are held from 7 to 9 on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings, in the well lighted, rooms of the college, and the elevator runs for the accommodation of the pupils. The night school is largely attended by those who are busy during the day and desire to qualify themselves for better positions. Many young people now holding positions of trust and responsibility at good salaries, prepared themselves by taking the night school course of study. The course is practically the same as that of the day school, and the instruction is given by the regular teachers of the college. Special attention is given to students whose early education has been neglected.

Tuition is payable in advance, and the rate for a complete night course is \$25.00. Monthly rates are also given, ranging from \$3.00 to \$5.00 per month according to the studies taken. The cost of books and supplies from \$2.00 to \$5.00. Those interested are invited to call.

LIMA BUSINESS COLLEGE.

## Marriage

Of W. W. Leighton and Miss Dewey

Occurred in Toledo at 8:30 Last Evening.

Ceremony Was Performed at the Home of the Bride's Father and Was Witnessed by a Party of Friends.

Concerning the marriage of W. W. Leighton, cashier of the Lima Savings bank of the south side, and a Toledo young lady, the Toledo Times, of today published the following:

"The marriage of Miss Adeline Dewey, daughter of Mr. Jesse N. Dewey, to Mr. William Woodward Leighton, of Lima, O., was celebrated quietly at 8:30 o'clock last evening at the home of the bride's father, on Glenwood avenue, in the presence only of relatives and a few intimate friends. Rev. F. D. Kelsey officiated. The out-of-town guests, who came to attend the wedding, were: Mrs. Hiram Bowen and Miss Katherine Starr, of Brodhead, Wis.; Miss Lillian Crawford, of Detroit; Miss Winifred Wallin, of Ereston, Ia.; Mr. F. B. Welty, of Lima; Mr. East, of Lima; Mr. Charles Hill, of Cleveland; Mr. Carl Cotter, of Ann Arbor; Mrs. Julia Leighton, Miss Marie Leighton and Miss Custer, all of Cincinnati. The bride and groom will make their home at Lima, O., where Mr. Leighton is cashier of a bank.

## DAUGHTER

Of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Bible Died Yesterday.

The two months and five days old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Bible, of Bath township, died at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, death resulting from stomach trouble.

Funeral cortege will leave the residence at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning and services will be held at the Ward church. Interment will be made in the Ward cemetery.

We Have "Bargains" That Are Recognized on Sight.

When you see our Suits and Overcoats for fall and winter you will agree with me that they are the noblest and best qualities for less money than any firm in Lima is offering. We have far outdone any previous season in style and price. The prices range from \$6.00 to \$25.00, but you should see the Suits and Overcoats we are selling at \$8.00, \$10.00, \$12.00 and \$15.00; they are simply beautiful. All you need to do is to see them and you will purchase on sight.



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Special Walking Skirts \$3.98, \$4.75, \$5.00, \$5.75, \$6.50 and \$7.50. Gray, blue, brown and black.

Dress Skirts at \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$10 and \$12. Black, grey and blue.

Women's Autumn Waists.

P. K. Waists are top notch this season. See them now.

Pique Waists at \$1.30, \$1.75, \$2.25 and \$3.00.

White and black dot at \$2.50.

White P. K. Napped for Fall Wear.

Extra good value in Fancy Waists \$1.38, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50.

Corduroy Waists at \$4.00.

Colors, castor, green and navy.

New Eiderdown Dressing Sacques, all colors, \$1.00 and \$1.25 to \$2.50.

The Tailored Suits and Walking Suits.

The demand has set in. This store is stocked to meet the demand; stocked with as right a line of suits as you'll find in any store of its size in the country, and they're reasonably priced, too.

Blue, brown, Oxford and black walking suits at \$11.50.

Special value in Dress Suits in blue, black and brown at \$15.00, \$18.00, \$22.50 and \$25.00.

Novelty Walking Suits at \$18.00, \$20, \$22.50 and \$25.00.

The New Coats.

Ready for you to inspect and choose from the finest equipment of Women's and Children's outer garments.

Black, castor and tan, \$10.00, \$14.00, \$15.00 and \$18.00.

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